## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	
Taketoshi USUI et al.	) Group Art Unit: 1796
Application No.: 10/574,981	) Examiner: Megan Cassandra McCulley
Filed: April 7, 2006	
For: LATENT CURING AGENT AND	Confirmation No.: 7145

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

## **REPLY TO NON-FINAL ACTION**

This reply is filed in response to the non-final Office action mailed October 15, 2008. This reply is being filed concurrently with a request for a one-month extension of time and appropriate fee. This reply is timely since February 15 was a Sunday and February 16 was considered a Federal Holiday by the Office. Prompt and favorable reconsideration of this application in view of the amendments and remarks below is respectfully requested. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

Remarks/Arguments follow the amendment sections of this paper.